# REPORT OF THE AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AGREED-UPON PROCEDURES ENGAGEMENT OF THE MCCREARY COUNTY PROPERTY VALUATION ADMINISTRATOR

For The Period July 1, 2009 Through June 30, 2010



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# Independent Accountant's Report

Jonathan Miller, Secretary, Finance and Administration Cabinet The Honorable Bruce Lominac, McCreary County Property Valuation Administrator Whitley City, Kentucky 42653

We have performed the procedures enumerated below, which were agreed to by the McCreary County Property Valuation Administrator (PVA), solely to assist you with the accountability for statutory contribution receipts and disbursements, including capital outlay disbursements, city government receipts, recordkeeping, and leases and contracts for the period July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010. This engagement to apply agreed-upon procedures was performed in accordance with attestation standards established by the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. The sufficiency of the procedures is solely the responsibility of the McCreary County PVA. Consequently, we make no representation regarding the sufficiency of the procedures described below either for the purpose for which this report has been requested or for any other purpose.

Our procedures and findings are as follows:

#### 1. Procedure -

Determine if the PVA has a receipts ledger, a disbursements ledger, and reconciles bank records to books each month. Re-perform the year-end bank reconciliation (June 30, 2010), for all bank accounts, to determine if amounts are accurate.

Finding - The PVA has a receipts ledger, a disbursements ledger, and reconciles bank records to books each month. Auditor re-performed, June 30, 2010 bank reconciliations and determined amounts were accurate.

# 2. Procedure -

Confirm any and all payments made by the city to the PVA. Compare recorded city receipts to confirmed payment amounts obtained from city governments. Also review the list of city receipts for completeness.

Finding - McCreary County does not have a city that is a political entity.



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## 3. Procedure -

Confirm any and all payments made by the fiscal court to the PVA. Compare the budgeted statutory contribution by fiscal court to the legally required amounts calculated by the Department of Revenue. Trace the fiscal court payments from the fiscal court statutory contribution budget account to the PVA's local bank account.

Finding - Payments made by fiscal court to the PVA were confirmed. The budgeted statutory contribution by fiscal court agreed to the required amount calculated by the Department of Revenue. The PVA deposited the statutory contribution payments to the official bank account.

#### 4. Procedure -

Judgmentally select 15 disbursements from PVA records and agree amounts to cancelled checks, paid invoices or other supporting documentation. Determine if the expenditure is for official business. Review all credit card statements (if any) to determine if expenditures are for official business.

Finding - Disbursements selected agreed to supporting documentation. All expenditures were for official business. The PVA did not use credit cards.

#### 5. Procedure -

Compare capital outlay disbursements with cancelled checks, supporting documentation, and proper purchasing procedures. Verify the location of newly acquired assets. Determine if assets were added to the PVA's Capital Asset Inventory List.

Finding - The PVA did not have capital outlay disbursements.

# 6. Procedure -

Scan vehicle lease agreements, personal service contracts, and professional service contracts for cost schedules and compare to actual payments. Determine if services received were appropriate, for official business, and properly authorized.

Finding - PVA entered into a lease agreement for a map printer which was appropriate for official business and properly authorized.

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# 7. Procedure -

Compare PVA's final budget to actual expenditures to determine if PVA overspent in any account series.

Finding - PVA's actual expenditures did not exceed the final budget in any account series.

#### 8. Procedure -

Determine whether collateral is necessary for the PVA's funds. If necessary determine if a collateral agreement exists.

Finding - Collateral was not necessary for PVA's funds.

# 9. Procedure -

Determine whether timesheets are completed, maintained, approved, and support hours worked.

Finding - Timesheets were completed, maintained, approved, and supported hours worked.

## 10. Procedure -

Determine whether cash balances were properly transferred from former PVA to new PVA.

Finding - Not applicable, no new PVA.

# 11. Procedure -

For newly hired employees, during July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010, of the PVA office determine if the Ethics Certification Form has been completed and is on file.

Finding - No new hires in the PVA office from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

#### 12. Procedure -

Determine if the PVA's office was closed any day other than the state's approved holidays. If so, determine if the proper procedures and forms were completed.

Finding - PVA's office was not closed in addition to the state's approved holidays.

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We were not engaged to, and did not perform an examination, the objective of which would be the expression of an opinion on the receipts and disbursements, including capital outlay disbursements, city government receipts, recordkeeping, and leases and contracts. Accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. Had we performed additional procedures, other matters might have come to our attention that would have been reported to you.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Property Valuation Administrator and the Department of Revenue and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Respectfully submitted,

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Auditor of Public Accounts

December 15, 2010